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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a (1) Continuation-In-Part, (2) XXX Continuation, (3) divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application, Serial No. PCT/EP02/00608 filed on 23 January 2002 of Wolfgang Singer, Wilhelm Egle, Markus Weiss, Joachim Hainz, Jochen Wietorre, Frank Melzer, and Johannes Wangler for COLLECTOR HAVING UNUSED REGION FOR ILLUMINATION SYSTEMS USING A WAVELENGTH \leq 193 NM.

1. A true copy of the application is enclosed.
2. XXX Priority of PCT application Serial No. PCT/EP02/00608 filed on 23 January 2002 in Germany is claimed under, 35 U.S.C. §120 or 365(c), and priorities of Patent Application Serial No. 101 02 934.9, filed on 23 January 2001 in Germany, Patent Application No. 101 27 298.7, filed on 6 June 2001 in Germany and Patent Application No. 101 38 313.4, filed on 10 August 2001 in Germany are claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) or 365(b).
3. Cancel in this application original claim(s) of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
4. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: ---This is a continuation, division, of application serial no. , filed , which claims priority from provisional application Serial No. filed on ---.
5. An Assignment of the invention to is enclosed.
6. XXX Address all future communications to : **CHARLES N.J. RUGGIERO, ESQ.**
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7. XXX A complete set of formal drawings (Figures 1-26) is attached.
8. Declaration and Power of Attorney form executed and is enclosed.
9. A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)
10. XXX I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application serial no. PCT/EP02/00608 as originally filed on 23 January 2002.
11. The undersigned attorney has verified that this application is entitled to Small Entity Status.

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12. XXX An Information Disclosure Statement (Form-1449) is enclosed.

13. A Certified Copy of the Priority Application is enclosed.

14. XXX International Search Report dated 02 October 2002

15. XXX Cover page of PCT Publication No. WO 02/065482 A2 published on 22 August 2002

The filing fee is calculated below:

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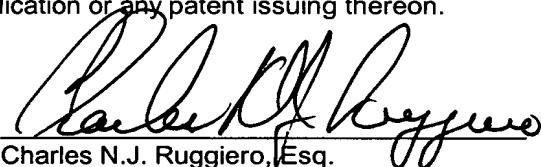
XXX A check in the amount of \$ 1,014.00 for the filing fee is enclosed.

XXX The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

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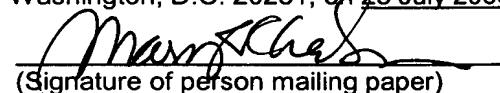


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